

On Thursday, June 7, the Subcommittee on Government Management, Organization, and Procurement and the Subcommittee on Information Policy, Census, and National Archives hold a joint hearing on federal IT security and the future of FISMA.

The hearing will review the 2002 Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA) and federal agency efforts to improve security, integrity, and reliability of the federal government's information systems. In addition, the hearing will examine whether the information assurance activities of private sector entities, including their cyber security best practices, would be appropriate models for improving the information security of federal agencies.

The following witnesses will testify:

Panel I

- **Hon. Karen S. Evans**

Administrator

Office of E-Government and Information Technology

Office of Management and Budget

- **Mr. Gregory C. Wilshusen**

Director

Information Security Issues

Government Accountability Office

- **Hon. Vance Hitch**

Chief Information Officer

Department of Justice

Panel II

- **Mr. Phil Bond**

President and CEO

Information Technology Association of America

- **Mr. Paul Kurtz**

Partner & Chief Operating Officer

Good Harbor Consulting, LLC

- **Mr. John W. Carlson**

Executive Director

Financial Services Roundtable/BITS

- **Mr. James Andrew Lewis**

Director and Senior Fellow

Technology and Public Policy Program

Center for Strategic and International Studies

Documents and Links

- [Official Hearing Transcript and Record \(link to GPO\)](#)